

**Table 20. Weather Summary, Selected U.S. Cities**  
(Population Weighted Heating Degree-Days<sup>1</sup>)

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The weather for the Nation, as measured by population-weighted heating degree-days from July 1, 2000, through May 19, 2001, has been 16 percent cooler than last year and 3 percent cooler than normal.

Location	Current 07/01/00 thru 05/19/01	Previous 07/01/99 thru 05/19/00	Normal 07/01 thru 05/19	Percent Change	
				Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	4,619	3,974	4,500	16	3
Cities					
Albuquerque	4,247	3,573	4,409	19	-4
Amarillo	4,366	3,580	4,233	22	3
Asheville	4,282	3,844	4,258	11	1
Atlanta	3,070	2,436	2,989	26	3
Billings	7,100	5,798	6,953	22	2
Boise	5,775	4,707	5,721	23	1
Boston	5,739	5,147	5,555	12	3
Buffalo	6,619	6,043	6,614	10	0
Cheyenne	7,166	6,096	7,055	18	2
Chicago	6,487	5,500	6,435	18	1
Cincinnati	5,286	4,620	5,201	14	2
Cleveland	6,099	5,380	6,097	13	0
Columbia, SC	2,848	2,436	2,649	17	8
Denver	6,222	5,071	5,879	23	6
Des Moines	6,750	5,176	6,450	30	5
Detroit	6,202	5,588	6,469	11	-4
Fargo	9,277	7,798	9,074	19	2
Hartford	6,314	5,559	6,085	14	4
Houston	1,820	1,094	1,599	66	14
Jacksonville	1,613	1,256	1,434	28	12
Kansas City	5,560	4,242	5,353	31	4
Las Vegas	2,249	1,622	2,407	39	-7
Los Angeles	1,550	1,102	1,364	41	14
Memphis	3,398	2,489	3,081	37	10
Miami	186	83	200	124	-7
Milwaukee	6,835	5,890	7,145	16	-4
Minneapolis	7,907	6,511	7,877	21	0
Montgomery	2,570	1,939	2,224	33	16
New York	4,773	4,227	4,871	13	-2
Oklahoma City	4,077	2,847	3,657	43	11
Omaha	6,466	5,110	6,245	27	4
Philadelphia	4,823	4,237	4,924	14	-2
Phoenix	1,165	794	1,350	47	-14
Pittsburgh	5,880	5,125	5,871	15	0
Portland, ME	7,119	6,572	7,175	8	-1
Providence	5,783	5,200	5,791	11	0
Raleigh	3,602	3,202	3,449	12	4
Richmond	4,212	3,543	3,951	19	7
St. Louis	5,055	3,889	4,732	30	7
Salem, OR	4,592	4,201	4,686	9	-2
Salt Lake City	5,662	4,799	5,657	18	0
San Francisco	2,627	2,333	2,822	13	-7
Seattle	4,736	4,473	4,668	6	1
Shreveport	2,622	1,706	2,264	54	16
Washington, DC	4,336	3,602	4,038	20	7

<sup>1</sup>See Glossary.

Note: • The total heating degree-days for the previous heating season (July 1, 1999 - June 30, 2000) was 4,062 and the normal is 4,575. • A new method for calculating heating/cooling degree days was implemented by the Climate Analysis Center in October 1993, with further refinements implemented in November 1993. The routines incorporate 1961-1990 normals supplied by the National Climatic Data Center, and 1990 census data for calculation of population weighted degree days.